

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1182 - SB 1236

March 25, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires any negotiated settlement agreement relative to forfeiture of assets to be in writing, signed by both parties, and filed with the court in which the forfeiture hearing would have been held.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Under current law, there is not requirement that a negotiated settlement agreement relative to forfeiture of assets to be in writing, signed by both parties, and filed with the court in which the forfeiture hearing would have been held.
- However, the Department of Safety reports that it is common practice, at least by the department. It is assumed that the bill will not significantly impact the operations of state and local law enforcement agencies, as the Department of Safety confirms.
- The Administrative Office of the Courts confirms that the bill will not significantly impact courts' operations.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jeffrey L. Spalding".

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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